

## *To Kill A Mockingbird* Author Study and Historical Context Web Search

1. Who is the author of *To Kill A Mockingbird*? (State her real name and her author name)
2. When and where was the author born?
3. What was the occupation of the author's father?
4. When was *To Kill A Mockingbird* published?
5. How many books did the author have published?
6. What other writings did she have published and when?
7. What famous author was a childhood and lifelong friend of *To Kill A Mockingbird*'s author?
8. In June of 1966, Harper Lee was one of two person to be named to what organization by who?

9. What famous trial is an event from the book based on?
10. Where and when did the trial take place? When was it finally settled?
11. List 5 details of the trial that were questionable or mishandled?
12. Name three major civil rights movement events that were taking place about the same time as the novel was being written.